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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 1617

Examiner: L. Wells

In re Application of:

Christine DUPUIS

Application No.: 09/402,796

Filed: December 22, 1999

For:

COSMETIC COMPOSITION

COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE

NONIONIC AMPHIPHILIC ASSOCIATIVE POLYURETHANE

AND AT LEAST ONE ANIONIC

POLYMER WITH FATTY CHAINS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action of July 31, 2002, Applicant requests reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please substitute pending claims 16, 27, 30-33, and 35-37 with amended claims 16, 27, 30-33, and 35-37 as follows:

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(Amended) A cosmetic composition comprising, in a cosmetically 16. acceptable medium,